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## **AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

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## Dear Commissioner:

Applicants submit this Amendment and Request for Reconsideration in response to the non-final Office action mailed June 23, 2009. The shortened statutory period for response is three months from the mailing date, i.e., by September 23, 2009. Applicants are concurrently requesting an extension of time through October 23, 2009, and thus, this response is timely. Please amend the above identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendment to the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks/Argument begin on page 10 of this paper.

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